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COUNTRY	East Germany				
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TOPIC		Military information from Glauchau			
EVALUATION		[REDACTED]	25X1	PLACE OBTAINED	25X1 [REDACTED]
DATE OF CONTENT		16 to 27 September 1952			
DATE OBTAINED		[REDACTED]	DATE PREPARED 24 October 1952		
REFERENCES		[REDACTED]	25X1		
PAGES		1	ENCLOSURES (NO. & TYPE)		
REMARKS					

25X1 During the period from 16 to 27 September 1952, the Hindenburg Kaserne and the Friedrich August Kaserne on Lichtensteiner Strasse, Glauchau (N 51/K 35), were occupied by a total of about 500 soldiers who wore red-bordered black epaulets with tank insignia. About 30 officers were seen in the installation.

25X1 Approximately 25 percent of the buildings were lighted at dusk. Two T-34/85 tanks, 4 T-34 tanks and JSU-122 guns Nos 225 and 241 were seen in the barracks area. Groups up to 150 men practiced singing in the barracks yard. Fifty soldiers were engaged in technical maintenance. Thirty soldiers were firing rifles with live ammunition at the training area near the Bismarck Tower.

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[REDACTED] Comment. This information indicates that only elements of the 220th Hv Tank SP Bgt of the Eighth Gds Army were at the post. The regiment could not be located at a troop training grounds during the summer. Elements were observed in Kindel in June, and in Altengrabow in August and, on 25 August, at an exercise near Plauen.

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